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**Amendment Transmittal Letter**

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Serial No.: 09/232,866	Filing Date: January 15, 1999	Examiner: Kennedy Schaetzle
Group Art Unit: 762	Invention: ELECTROPHYSIOLOGY/ABLATION CATHETER AND REMOTE ACTUATOR THEREFOR	

To the Assistant Commissioner of Patents:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below. Pursuant to Rule 1.27, effective September 8, 2000, the undersigned is informed and asserts that the applicant continued to be entitled to small entity status.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims remaining after amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For	No. of Extra Claims Present	Rate	Additional Rate
Total Claims	20	Minus	20	0	x	\$ 0.00
Indep. Claims	2	Minus	3	0	x	\$ 0.00
total						\$ 0.00

No additional claim fees are due.

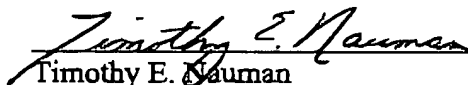
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A **one-month** extension of time is believed to be due. Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) and request a one-month extension and authorizes the extension of time fee of \$ 55.00 to be charged to Deposit Account No. 06-0308. Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) and request any additional extensions of time that may be necessary and authorizes the extension of time fees to be charged to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.

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Respectfully submitted,

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